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Order Cards Early.

Nearly everybody wants engraved calling cards to enclose with their Christmas presents, but many people put off ordering cards until the last few days before Christmas, when it is too late to fill the order in time. Suppose you examine your supply of cards and give your order this month? You will then have the cards on hand when you need them.

We would suggest, in this connection, that nothing makes a daintier or more acceptable Christmas present than a nice copper plate and 100 engraved visiting cards. We will be glad to show samples.

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TOBACCO EXCHANGE

Organized by Mt. Sterling and Winchester Dealers

Mr. G. L. Kirkpatrick Elected Vice President of Organization.

The Mt. Sterling and Winchester Tobacco Exchange was organized at Winchester Thursday at a meeting of the dealers of the two cities. Mr. R. M. Scobee, of Winchester, was elected President and Mr. G. L. Kirkpatrick, of this city, Vice President. R. A. Scobee, of Winchester, Secretary and Treasurer and N. K. Foster Sales Manager for Winchester and S. R. Adamson Sales Manager for Mt. Sterling. Messrs. G. L. Kirkpatrick, C. B. Stewart and J. C. Ellis were appointed to draft bylaws etc., and report at the next meeting of the exchange, which is to be held December 3rd. The members of the Exchange are:

Planters' Loose Leaf Warehouse, R. A. Scobee Tobacco Warehouse, Winchester; Farmers' Tobacco Warehouse, Burley Loose Leaf Warehouse, Mt. Sterling, and the following dealers: A. A. Evans, Kirkpatrick & Clay, S. R. Adamson, J. C. Ellis, W. L. Hussy, W. O. Brock, N. K. Foster, G. D. McCullum, C. B. Stewart, R. D. Gordon and A. J. Bray.

Walsh's corduroys always the best.

Thanksgiving Dance.

The members of the Sterling Dancing Club will give their Thanksgiving dance at Trimble's Hall Thursday night. The music will be furnished by Wright's Saxophone Trio. Quite a number of visitors are expected and a most enjoyable evening is being looked forward to by the young people. Among the visitors will be Miss Marie Early, of Maysville; Miss Helen Lafferty, of Lexington; Miss Martha Quiggle, of Lincoln, Neb., Misses Josephine and Elizabeth Threlkeld, of Nicholasville; Miss Belle Cromwell, of Cincinnati; Miss Harriette Woodward, of Cincinnati, O., Miss Elizabeth Ratliff, of Sharpsburg, and Miss Hazel O'Rear, of Frankfort.

Going to make a black cake for Thanksgiving? If you are you will not make a mistake by buying the accessories at Vanarsdell's.

Trains Change Time.

The following changes on the C. & O. went into effect Sunday:

EAST.

No. 24.....9:46 P. M.
No. 22.....12:46 P. M.
No. 26.....8:44 A. M.
No. 28.....7:10 P. M.

WEST.

No. 29.....5:50 A. M.
No. 25.....7:12 A. M.
No. 27.....2:08 P. M.
No. 23.....3:47 P. M.
K. & S. A. trains same time.

Auto Bandits of Paris, the attraction at the Tabb Opera House to-night.

Young Man Shot In Bath County.

Earl Reed and John Sundy, well-known young men, went to a meeting at Bald Eagle, five miles north of Owingsville last Saturday night. Sundy took a pistol from his pocket and when Reed asked him what it was, said, "I'll show you what it is," and pointing the pistol at Reed discharged it, the ball striking Reed in the neck. Reed is said to be fatally wounded. He is paralyzed and speechless.

The young men were drinking. There is said to be a woman in the case.

High top shoes.

Punch, Graves & Co.

Cranberries, celery, plum puddings, oysters, in fact everything the market affords can be found for your Thanksgiving dinner at Vanarsdell's.

A CAUSE FOR

Thanksgiving

First Cut Price Sale of the Season on.....

New Fall Suits and Coats

Our entire stock of high-class and dependable Fall Suits and Coats now on Sale at Greatly Reduced Prices.

100 New Fall Suits, Browns, Blues, Grays and Blacks.

125 Snappy Separate Coats, both long and short, for women and children.

Now is your chance to save money and get your Fall Suit or Coat while the season is yet young.

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INCORPORATED
OUTFITTERS TO WOMEN

LARGE SUCCESS

Was Montgomery Corn Show and School Fair

There Were Many Contestants and Much Interest Shown.

The first corn show and school fair held in this city attracted an immense crowd at the County High School grounds Saturday afternoon. There was much interest shown by the children and the corn show was one of the best ever held in the State and the high figure of twenty-one barrels and thirty pounds to the acre was produced. The following premiums and awards were made:

Greatest yield of corn on one acre raised by boy 10 to 14 years old, 90 4-5 bushels. Winner—Cecil Clay Wills; prize, \$5.00. Second greatest yield, 85 bushels. Winner—Burl T. Bourne; prize, \$2.50.

Greatest yield of corn on one acre raised by boy 14 to 20 years old, 105 6-7 bushels—L. D. Lockridge; prize, \$5.00; second greatest yield, 88 bushels—Everett McClain, prize, \$2.50.

Best ten ears—Prize, \$3.00; Everett McClain.

Second best ten ears—Prize, \$2.00; Cecil Clay Wills.

Largest single ear—Prize, \$3.00; J. H. Hunt.

The prizes awarded at the school fair were:

One half-dozen neatest buttonholes—Elizabeth Wills.

Best assortment of candy—Nellie Price Henry.

Best piece embroidery—Elsie Nodley.

Best plan of schoolhouse—Charlton Prewitt.

Best map of Kentucky—Willie Garrett.

Best speller—Bernice Halley.

Neatest patch—Iona Sponcil.

Best crochet work—Nancy Clay Keller.

Best drawn work—Lucile Hart.

Best dressed doll—Minnie LeBlount.

In addition to the above prizes the following firms and individuals donated the following prizes:

Montgomery National Bank \$5, Mt. Sterling National Bank \$5, Traders National Bank \$5, Exchange Bank \$5, The Walsh Co. \$5 in merchandise, Chenault & O'rear \$9 plow, Prewitt & Howell \$5 in merchandise, Punch, Graves & Co., \$5 in merchandise, W. A. Sutton & Son \$2, T. K. Barnes & Sons \$1, J. H. Brunner \$1, J. W. Jones \$1, G. H. Strother \$1, Oldham Bros., \$1, E. W. Hellin \$1, Nelson & Dale \$2, F. F. Tabb 100 pounds globe fertilizer.

The show was under the supervision of County School Supt. M. J. Goodwin who deserves a great deal of credit for the interest aroused.

The judges in the corn show were: Messrs. Howard Howell, M. F. O'Rear and Maj. D. J. Burgett. The judges in the girls' fancy work were: Mrs. M. F. O'Rear and Mrs. Jennie McAlister. The exercises were opened by Rev. H. D. Clark. A splendid address was delivered by Rev. B. H. Horton on the subject: "Whatsoever Ye Sow, That Shall Ye Also Reap." Mrs. J. W. Prewitt and Miss Mary Welsch pronounced the words in the spelling match.

The following boys are entitled to and will receive State diplomas signed by the Governor, Commissioner of Agriculture, Superinten-

dent of Public Instruction and the County Superintendent for raising over 60 bushels of corn to the acre: Everett McClain, L. D. Lockridge, Burrell T. Bourne, Cecil Clay Wills, Roger E. Wills and Chalmers E. Motley.

The winners of prizes here will compete for prizes offered at Lexington at the State Corn Show in January and have an excellent chance to win some of the premiums. The prizes to be given at Lexington are very attractive and will be announced in this paper at a later date.

Cranberries, celery, plum puddings, oysters, in fact everything the market affords can be found for your Thanksgiving dinner at Vanarsdell's.

LONG ILLNESS

Proves Fatal to Prominent Montgomery County Man.

Mr. J. Roger Gatewood Passes Away at His Home.

Mr. J. Roger Gatewood, for years one of the most prominent young society men in Central Kentucky, who has been in poor health for the past few years, died at his home on the Winchester pike Monday morning at four o'clock.

Mr. Gatewood numbered his friends by his acquaintances and his jolly good humor and ready wit made him always the center of an admiring crowd. He was always interested in athletics and was manager of the Mt. Sterling base ball team for two years, giving much of his time and money to the sport. He was liberal to a fault, and "Chappie," as he was affectionately called by his host of friends, was always ready and willing to contribute to any public enterprise. He was a member of the firm of Punch & Gatewood for a number of years, but for some time past has devoted his time to farming.

He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Kate Hood, of Louisville, and one little daughter, his mother, Mrs. T. J. Thomas, two brothers, Messrs. L. D. and J. M. Gatewood, besides numerous other relatives.

The funeral services were held at the Episcopal Church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. Harris, of Paris, conducting the services. Burial in Machpelah Cemetery.

The Advocate extends deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Best \$15.00 suits and overcoats.

Punch, Graves & Co.

House Moved.

Mr. M. S. Brown, who purchased the house belonging to the Mt. Sterling Public Graded School, has torn same down and moved it to his lot on High street. The removal of this building and the grading of the lot will add greatly to the appearance of the new building recently erected by the School Board.

Mt. Sterling now has a school second to none in the State considering the size of our city.

Wanted Quick.

Two gas heating stoves, one large and one small one, must be in good repair.

Advocate Publishing Co.

Thanksgiving Dinner will be given away at the Tabb Opera House to-night.

OFFICER KILLED

Deputy Sheriff of Clark County Killed Last Sunday.

County Offers Reward of \$500 and Sheriff Brock \$100.

Four negro desperadoes on Sunday night assassinated Deputy Sheriff George M. Hart, of Clark county, on one of the public thoroughfares of the city of Winchester and all made their escape. It seems that the negroes were wanted for robbing a railroad commissary and shooting two men, and when the officer approached the men they opened fire on him, killing him instantly. Capt. Mullikan, of Lexington, with his bloodhounds, was called, but so many people had been over the ground that the dogs could do no good. Large posses were formed and the whole country aroused. Two of the negroes were seen and fired upon and one of them wounded, but both managed to escape. It is thought the negroes will be lynched if caught. Various rumors have it that the negroes have been captured and are in jail at Richmond, Lexington and Paris, but none of them could be confirmed.

The description of the men who are believed to have murdered the Sheriff, follow:

Joe Shepherd, a big black negro known as "Big Boy." He is believed to have gone with Emory toward Middlesboro, the latter's home.

Jim Brown, known as "Shine" —Five feet, 10 inches tall, heavy set, and wears a light colored hat.

L. L. Leck—Six feet tall, yellow skin, wearing blue pants, overall jacket, and a black Stetson hat.

Ben Emory—"Gingerbread" color, has upper gold front tooth, wearing gray cap, gray shirt.

Mr. Hart was one of the most popular men in Clark county, a prominent member of the Knights of Pythias, Woodmen of the World and Ancient Order of United Workmen. He is survived by his wife, a daughter, Miss Mary Elkin Hart, and a son, Mr. Lewis Hart, who is now located in Nashville, Tenn. He is also survived by several sisters.

Mr. Hart was about 56 years of age. He was formerly jailer of

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Clark county, but declined to be a candidate for re-election. He was, previous to that time, a deputy sheriff, and had served under Sheriff W. O. Brock in that capacity for about two years. He was known as one of the most fearless and yet one of the kindest men among the officials of the county.

It is sincerely hoped that his murderers are captured and that they are punished to the full extent of the law.

Box Supper.

There will be Box Supper at the Upper Spencer school house Nov. 30th. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

Death of Mrs. Margaret Jameson.

Mrs. Margaret Jameson, aged 88 years, one of the oldest women in this city, died at her home on Harrison avenue last Wednesday, Nov. 20th. She was the widow of the late B. F. Jameson, and was a splendid woman, much loved by a host of friends. Mrs. Jameson is survived by three children, Mrs. J. M. Hall, Miss Eliza Jameson and J. B. Jameson and many other relatives in this and adjoining counties.

The funeral was held at the residence Friday afternoon with burial at Camargo.

Going to make a black cake for Thanksgiving? If you are you will make no mistake by buying the accessories at Vanarsdell's.

Buys Nice Property.

Mrs. Scottie Welsch has bought the Bassett property on East Main street and will take possession January 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Bassett have rented a flat in the new Chenault & O'rear building over the office of the Advocate Publishing Co.

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday—the Florsheim shoe "for the man who cares."

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Prominent Stoops Couple Wed.

Mr. Allie Saunders and Miss Ollie Hendrix, both of the Stoops neighborhood, this county, were married Sunday at the bride's home. The groom is a successful and prominent young farmer and his bride is a very attractive and popular young woman.

Harvard Overwhelms Yale.

In their annual foot ball game, Harvard defeated Yale Saturday by the overwhelming score of 20 to 0. This is the worst defeat in Yale's history.

Corduroy pants.

Punch, Graves & Co.

BARNES' THANKSGIVING SPECIALS

Atmore and Heintz Plum Pudding and Mince Meat
Black Cake Material—all kinds—new goods
Dressed Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chickens
Oysters, Celery, Cranberries, Lettuce, Radishes and Cucumbers

Grape Fruit, Oranges and Malaga Grapes
New York Cream, Edam, Pineapple and Roquefort
Cheese

Price's Fresh Pork Sausage
New Crop New Orleans and Mountain Sorghum
Premier and Nabob Canned Goods—new pack

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The November Recessional.

For half a year we have been fed on nervous excitement. We have lived with politics and baseball and football, with war and with murder, till the mind is slightly weary of the blare. That period of high excitement is ending. The tumult is dying in a long reeding roar. The torches of the political redeemers and their marching men burn out. The clean turf of famous fields lies buried under leaves and the early snow. Bleachers and grand stands are as empty as the heart of SCROOGE. From their recent frenzy, the people return to steadfast ways. Now, as always, men build their homes out of love, and, by the hard work of their

hands, safeguard it against change and loss. That is the stuff of history, under the drums and trappings of the conquests. Then, as now, men turned to the age-long striving, lighted for a little by youth's romance, and warmed through, after years of sag and weariness by the steady comforts of the home. Always men live in these invisible values, and go about their ancient work.

If you get more pay than the man who works with you, you must do more work. Employers don't pay for good looks. Another thing employers appreciate: clean work—work that no one is compelled to do over after you.

Clippings From the Snagtown Torchlight.

As Mayor of Snagtown, Captain Jack Barnett, who is also editor of this paper, placed the money appropriated for the new town hall on Wilson to win, and won enough money to build the hall and pave the streets.

Snagtown, with a population of 403, has 316 applicants for the job of postmaster so far, but others will surely press their claims. As Mayor of Snagtown we are praying night and day that there will be enough offices to go 'round.

Captain Jack Barnett, editor of the Snagtown Torchlight and chairman of the county Democratic committee, has just returned from an inspection of the White House. He reports that the building is in a perfectly satisfactory condition.

"Bobbie" Ellis, poet laureate of Ryestraw Valley, had a love song for breakfast yesterday, and if his strength and the kerosene holds out he'll have a heavy Ode for dinner tomorrow.

There will be a shortage of sorghum molasses around Chidling Switch this winter, but Steve Sovish says we still have Miss Fruize Alsop left.

Columbus Alsop, who got his ears frost-bit last fall while out stealing corn, has learned that it pays to do right and if he goes out at night any this fall he will wear his earmuffs.

"Dad" Lindsay spent Tuesday over at Musket Ridge moonshine still, trying to miss his chill.

The patrons have complained so about the constant change of school books that the Teacher of the Wild Onion school has deemed it advisable to cut down expenses by closing the school until the scholars forget all they have already learned so he can take them through the same books again.

You can't cash in a grudge for what you may think it's worth.

To Consumers of Natural Gas.

In answer to many inquiries, the management of this company is pleased to state that the plans which were made public last fall, for extending its main lines across the mountains of Kentucky to the West Virginia gas fields, have been put into execution; the work of constructing the line has been vigorously prosecuted—although from the nature of the country it has been a difficult and costly undertaking—and we are absolutely sure of its completion in ample time to furnish all consumers with a full supply. We deem it proper and fair to give our consumers this information so that they may know how definitely our company is faithfully performing its promise to use every effort to furnish them with a full and dependable supply of natural gas for many years to come; and also to notify them that after the regular reading of meters in the month of December, 1912, the rates will be advanced five (5) cents per thousand cubic feet.

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Any ache or pain in any part of the body can be relieved with Shipp's Quick Relief Liniment. \$100 reward if it fails and the purchase price is not refunded. Try it see. **50c At All Druggists.**

Excellent Farm and City Property For Sale.

I offer for sale privately the following: My modern new residence on West High street, also lot adjoining, which is 75 feet front and 300 feet deep. My farm near Grassy Lick, consisting of 188 acres of land in high state of cultivation, can also be bought well worth the money.

13-1f Mrs. Mary A. McClure.

Doan's Regulets cure constipation without griping, nausea, nor any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents per box.

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War in the East.

Few conflicts have exceeded in fierce fighting those waged between the Bulgarians and the Turks. The reason is not far to see. The battles between the opposing forces have been personal conflicts. Every Bulgarian saw red when he faced a Turk. He went into the fight with a personal hatred, not only against Turkey as a nation, but against every individual Turk. He would have liked to settle the matter in a personal combat. He personally had suffered from Turkish oppression and he personally longed to square things by assault on the person of a Turk. This is the reason why the Bulgarians fought with such Berserker rage, such reckless courage, such entire abandonment of self. The oppressed at last had a chance to even things up with his personal oppressor. And the war is, where the individual Bulgarian soldier is concerned, a war for a woman. On the border no Bulgarian maiden was safe. When the morning dawned she awoke happy over her betrothal to some sturdy Bulgarian lad. When evening fell she graced some Turkish harem and the sturdy lover, killed by Turkish soldiers, lay in the field which was to furnish them means for a little home. Religion also plays its significant part in the strife. It would be a beautiful fact, of course, if one could correctly picture the Bulgarian as the ideal Christian, faithfully following the dictates of the Master. The Bulgarian, however, is probably like the average man everywhere else. He takes his religion as passively as he goes to bed every night. Let a man try to prevent him from the more or less formal exercise of his religious beliefs, however, and he becomes like a lioness about to be deprived of her whelps. Anyone who visions the Bulgarians as the ideal Christian because he is now fighting for Christianity would meet with a rude shock if he lived for a while among the fierce enemies of Turkey.

You can't take Time by the forelock. The fellow who snatched Time baldheaded died too long ago to talk about.

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Thousands of women owe their youthfulness to Newbre's Herpicide. No matter what may be her age, a woman with black, glossy and full hair, that is, is always looks younger than she is. Herpicide makes the hair beautiful with that shiny and shiny which is attractive and always indicates a healthy, natural growth. It keeps the scalp free from dandruff and the hair from falling out. There are remedies said to be "just as good," but Herpicide is the genuine original dandruff destroyer.

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8:10 p. m.	Lv. Louisville	Ar. 8:30 a. m.
6:15 a. m.	Ar. Chattanooga	Ar. 9:45 p. m.
11:10 a. m.	Ar. Atlanta	Lv. 8:10 p. m.
8:30 p. m.	Ar. Jacksonville	Lv. 7:40 a. m.

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A NEEDED IMPROVEMENT.

For weeks a rumor has been current here to the effect that the Mt. Sterling Water, Light & Ice Company has been absorbed by some capitalists, who are buying up a number of similar plants in Kentucky, but we have not felt authorized to use it, until we verified the rumor sufficiently to justify a belief in its accuracy.

We are also told, by one in a position to know, that a day current will soon be furnished the citizens of Mt. Sterling. This will be a great convenience and an improvement our city has long needed. Machinery of all kinds, including the ordinary sewing machine, can then be operated by electricity.

The same authority also informed us that if a franchise could be secured at a reasonable price the new owners would furnish electricity to farmers living near enough to justify the cost of erecting poles, wires, etc.

We sincerely hope our information is correct. The local company has needed some new life and additional capital for a long time.

The suggestion of Senator-elect Ollie M. James that the Democrats should first keep their pledges to the people and then consider the patronage, has the right ring to it. The masses are much more interested in seeing their mandate carried out than they are in where the "pie" goes.

Is the suggestion of the Courier-Journal and Times that W. J. Bryan be made Ambassador to the Court of St. James prompted by a desire to get this distinguished Democrat out of the United States?

The killing of Deputy Sheriff Hart, of Clark county, Sunday, was as regrettable as it was untimely. He was a manly man and deserved a better fate.

Buys Property.

Mr. W. S. Smathers has purchased the Mrs. Thursday Howard property on Elm street and has taken possession.

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Local Notes of Interest

Mrs. Hacly Ragan has rented her 352 acre farm on Flat Creek to Messrs. James and Clarence White and Jesse Highland for a period of two years for \$4,000 per year.

Mr. Owen Gibson, formerly of this city, but now Rural Route carrier out of Paris, was painfully injured one day last week by having his foot caught in the chain of his motorcycle.

Emerald Chief Stock Farm has recently sold a fine stallion colt to Charles F. Hub, of Long Island, N. J. for a fancy price. The colt was by Golden King out of Rex Peavine's full sister.

A reward of \$1,000 has been offered for the apprehension of the assassin of Thrashly Staten, who was killed near Stepstone Sept. 30th.

Mr. Charles E. Blevins, son of Mr. George Blevins, of this county, has been highly honored by the students of State University by being elected Vice President of the Students of Self Government Committee.

Col. Isaac Trumbo, a cousin of Mr. J. F. Trumbo, of this city, died recently at a hospital in San Francisco, Cal. Mr. Trumbo was a few years ago, worth millions but at the time of his death he was penniless.

Mr. Holman Rice has sold to the Blue Grass Seed Co., about 8,000 bushels of blue grass seed at 63 cents per bushel.

William Pangburn, son of Mr. C. G. Pangburn, who was painfully injured last week while playing football by falling on some glass, is improving nicely.

Hon. Henry R. Prewitt, one of the leading attorneys of Eastern Kentucky, has been elected a member of the American Bar Association.

Rev. B. C. Horton, of this city, has been appointed by Gov. McCreary as one of the delegates from Kentucky to the Anti-Saloon League of America, which will meet in Washington, D. C., Dec. 16th to 19th.

Col. A. T. Chenault, of Madison county, died recently at his home in Richmond, aged 85 years. He was one of the best known men in Madison county and had many relatives in this county.

State University of Kentucky has been suspended from the Southern Athletic Association and is now barred from participating in athletics with other Southern colleges.

Bring us your country produce. We will treat you right. S. E. Kelly & Co.

12tf

Thieves Caught.

Emma Tipton and Elva Fields, the two negro women arrested by Officer James Tipton last Saturday, were tried in the County Court Monday morning and bound over to the Grand Jury. Their bond was fixed at \$500, in default of which they were sent to the county jail to await the action of the Grand Jury. The two women were caught stealing goods from Oldham Bros. store by Stewart Sharp, a clerk at the store, and when their rooms were searched by the officer two very fine muffs valued at \$90 belonging to the Rogers Co., goods belonging to J. D. Hazelrigg & Son, Punch, Graves & Co., and Oldham Bros. were found. Several merchants have been missing goods for some time past and it is hoped these women will be given the limit which will go a long ways toward breaking up such crimes in our city.

Beautiful Souvenir Spoon will be presented to each lady attending the Tabb Opera House tonight.

Mt. Sterling, Ky.
Nov. 18, 1912.

Messrs. I. D. Yocom & J. T. Coons, Mt. Sterling, Ky.,
Dear Sirs:-

On November 10th, my house situated at Spencer was destroyed by fire and on the 18th day of November your company, the Hurst Home Insurance Co., paid my loss in full. I wish to thank you gentlemen for the prompt settlement and it will be my pleasure to recommend your company to my friends.

Should you care to publish this letter you are at liberty to do so.

Respectfully yours,

Wm. N. Hiler.

For high grade stationery of all kinds, call 'phone 74.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles yield to Doan's Ointment. Chronic cases soon relieved, finally cured. Druggists all sell it.

Wanted Quick.

Two gas heating stoves, one large and one small one, must be in good repair.

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DO YOUR Xmas Shopping EARLY

When making out your shopping list think how many things can be bought at Hazelrigg's. Look over the list below:

Embroidered Handkerchiefs Embroidered Waist Fronts
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Many articles which space prevents our mentioning. We extend a cordial invitation to visit our store and see the many nice things in stock.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. Clay Reeves has returned from a trip to Washington.

Mr. Nat Young Jr., is attending the horse sale at New York.

Mr. T. F. Triplett was in Winchester on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Greene have returned from their bridal trip.

Mr. Ben Kennard has accepted a position as apprentice at this office.

Mr. Edgar Baum, of Milwaukee, Wis., was in the city last week on business.

Miss Belle Cromwell, of Cynthiana, is visiting Miss Mary Ray Trimble.

Miss Hattie William has returned home after a visit to friends in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNeal are spending Thanksgiving with relatives in Virginia.

Mr. Robert Young, of Pineville, was in this city several days last week visiting relatives.

Miss Marie Early, of Maysville, is the attractive guest of Misses Olive and Kathryn Wood.

Miss Annie Caswell Prewitt has returned home after visiting friends for several days in Danville.

Messrs. Dan Doggett and John Arnold, of Bath county, were visitors in our city last week.

Mrs. Maggie Young and daughter, Miss Ailee, are visiting Mr. L. Tipton Young at Louisville.

Mr. Ed. L. William, who has been to Martinsville for several weeks past, has returned home.

Messrs. Paul and Claude Strother will leave this week for Tampa, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. G. B. Senff and little son, Earl King, who have been visiting in Woodford county, returned home Friday.

Mrs. I. F. Tabb and daughter, Miss Mary Vansant, have returned home after a visit to relatives in Fleming county.

Mr. James Magowan and mother, Mrs. Emma, have taken rooms with Dr. C. W. Harris on Main street for the winter.

Mr. James R. Magowan left Friday for New York where he has entered seventeen head of fine horses in the Old Glory Horse Sale.

Miss Mary Bigstaff Ragan, who is attending Hamilton College at Lexington, will spend Thanksgiving with her grandmother, Mrs. James Bigstaff.

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DISTINCTIVELY INDIVIDUAL
RELIABLE, DEPENDABLE
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Yours truly, or MR. TABB

Miss Mary E. Turner is visiting friends in Covington this week. Col. Sam Newmeyer is in Cincinnati this week on a business trip.

Col. W. P. Walton, of Louisville, was in this city on business Tuesday.

Miss Nelle Miller, of Morehead, visited Miss Minnie Heilman the past week.

Miss Louise Lloyd has returned from Louisville where she visited relatives the past week.

Mr. Seth Botts, the popular Sheriff of Bath county, was in this city last week on business.

Mrs. T. F. Triplett and daughter, Miss Ollie, spent Sunday in Shadysburg with relatives.

Mrs. J. M. Jenkins, of Winchester, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Senieur the past week.

Mr. J. Clay Cooper has been at Cannel City the past week looking after his mining interest in that section.

Mr. Richard Apperson, of Lexington, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Apperson.

Misses Mattie Clay Triplett and Kathleen McCabe will go to Lexington this afternoon to see Maude Adams in Peter Pan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McCormick will motor to Versailles where they will spend several days this week.

Mr. J. W. Boardman has rented the property of W. P. Oldham on Main street and Mr. and Mrs. Oldham have taken rooms with Mrs. Effie Tharp.

Judge Lewis Apperson and Mr. John W. William have returned from a hunting trip to Eastern Kentucky. They report birds very scarce in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bogie and son Edward, who have been at Hot Springs for several weeks past for Mr. Bogie's health, have returned home and we are glad to state that Mr. Bogie is improving rapidly.

Mr. Norman D. Brown, who has been working for the Winchester Democrat for the past few months, has accepted a position as compositor at this office and has also taken his old position at the Tabb Opera House. His many friends will be glad to learn of his return to Mt. Sterling.

Wanted.

One large and one small gas heating stove. Apply at the office of ADVOCATE PUB. CO., (Ine.)

Best \$5.00 boys' suits.
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Ladies.

Mrs. H. B. Kinsolving will be glad to take daily orders for rolls, steamed brown bread, beaten biscuit and salt-rising light bread. Phone 114. 20-tf

RELIGIOUS

Bishop Burton, of Lexington, will hold services at the Episcopal church Sunday morning.

The Young Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian church will have a bazaar and serve lunch December 18th. Location announced later.

Car Load of Apples.

I will have a car load of nice apples at the depot Friday, Nov. 29th, for sale cheap, wholesale and retail. Chas. Long.

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MARRIAGES.

On last Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jennie L. Robinson, Miss Garnette Robinson, one of the prettiest and most attractive girls ever reared in Mt. Sterling, became the bride of Prof. Walter O. Hopper. The wedding was a quiet one, only the relatives and a few intimate friends being present. The lovely home was beautifully decorated with ferns and chrysanthemums. The bride was dressed in a blue traveling suit and carried a large bouquet of bride's roses. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Porter, of Lexington, and Rev. W. H. Hopper, of Burnside, brother of the groom. The attendants were Miss Stella Robinson, sister of the bride, and Miss Paulina Judy, and Mrs. Chas. W. Kirkpatrick played the wedding march. Immediately after the ceremony Prof. and Mrs. Hopper left on the 3:47 train for a bridal trip to the South and returning they will be at home at No. 22 West Main street. The groom is principal of the Mt. Sterling Public Grade Schools, which position he has held for a number of years, and is a gentleman of culture and refinement. He is Exalted Ruler of the Elks Lodge in this city, besides being high in the ranks of many other lodges and organizations. Among those present from a distance were Rev. J. W. Porter, of Lexington; Rev. W. H. Hopper, of Burnside; Messrs. George and Joseph Hopper, and Miss Margaret Hopper of Stanford. The ADVOCATE extends best wishes for a long, happy and prosperous life.

One of the most beautiful weddings of the season will be celebrated on Thanksgiving Day at the Christian church, when Miss Julia Morris Trimble will be married to Mr. Alfred G. Gates, of Indianapolis, Ind. The bride is one of Mt. Sterling's most popular young women, and her approaching marriage is being looked forward to with much interest. Immediately after the ceremony a reception will be given them at the handsome Trimble home on North Maysville street, after which the young couple will leave on an extended bridal trip through the East.

Good Shoes for Bad Boys.
Punch, Graves & Co.

Call 100 for anything in the
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The Florsheim Shoe
For any wear
and everywhere.
18-tf W. H. Berry & Co.

Special at Tabb Opera House.

Ralph Brown, the world's famous pedestrian and entertainer, will be at the Tabb Opera House Wednesday matinee and night, November 27th. Don't fail to be present and hear this gifted man tell about his travels on foot in all parts of the world. He will also show pictures of the different countries he has visited which are very interesting.

Let Sutton & Son furnish your home, then you will have the BEST. It will cost more elsewhere.

Phone S. E. Kelly & Co. for
Fresh and Cured Meats. 12tf

If you have any job printing you
want done in a hurry, let the
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SOCIAL EVENTS.

BIRTHS.

On Tuesday, November 19, to the wife of Tom Fitch, a fine baby girl—Kathryn Paul.

Extra Good Clothes for Boys.
Punch, Graves & Co.

For Sale.

Seven nice meat hogs for November delivery. B. F. MARK, 11-tf.

New ties at Walsh's.

For Sale.

Pure Bronze turkeys, Madison Square Garden strain. Robt. Marshall. Phone 625 20-2t

Mr. Robert M. Trimble, who has been quite sick for several days past, is able to be up again.

The condition of Mr. J. M. Pieratt, who has been critically ill for the past two weeks, is slightly improved.

Mrs. F. C. Laughlin was taken to a Lexington hospital Sunday afternoon where she is to be operated on. Her condition is quite serious.

Mr. M. O. Cockrell, who underwent a slight operation at a hospital in Louisville, is improving and it is thought he will soon be able to return home.

Dressed turkeys, chickens, ducks for your Thanksgiving dinner at Vanarsdell's.

Corduroy suits.

Punch, Graves & Co.

The Walsh Co. is showing the latest in men's suits and overcoats.

Stetson and Youman Hats.

Punch, Graves & Co.



FIGHT

On Tax-Dodging Corporations Begins.

County Judges and Attorneys Meet and Urge Appointment of Special Counsel To Assist Attorney-General in Tax Suits Involving Millions.

Justus Goebel Makes Strong Speech at Meeting.

At a meeting of the county judges and county attorneys of the State held at the House of Representatives, Frankfort, Ky., on Nov. 8, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That we, the county judges and county attorneys of the State, in convention assembled, heartily approve and indorse the action of the State Board of Valuation and Assessment in placing upon the great corporations of the State, enjoying valuable public franchises and privileges, their just share of the burdens of taxation and we commend their acts to the people of the State as constituting the greatest tax reform of many years, and while we entertain the very highest regard and respect for the ability of the Attorney General and his assistants and the Hon. John L. Rich, of Covington, employed as assistant counsel, we are unwilling that any lack of counsel on behalf of the State should endanger the just and patriotic action of the State Board of Valuation and Assessment, and we recommend to the Attorney General and the Governor of the State that an emergency exists and that the most eminent counsel be employed to defend the action of the State Board of Valuation and Assessment in the United States Court."

Justus Goebel, of Covington, made a speech before the assemblage, pleading for the employment of additional counsel for the State. Mr. Goebel said:

"Mr. President, Gentlemen and My Brother Kentuckians:

"I am most happy to meet with the county judges and county attorneys of the State. I am grateful beyond my powers of expression for the invitation of your President which permits my presence here, and asks some expressions from me on this occasion.

"You, the gentlemen of the respective counties of the State, who have been elected to office and charged by law to protect the interests of widows and orphans—estates in the hands of trustees—the every citizen and taxpayer who voted for you or against you, as well as those who did not vote at all; you, all of you, in your official capacity have sworn duties to perform, and out of gratitude to those who have honored you, you must have great desire to perform those duties well. With reference to the business of this day—to the subject-matter here to be discussed—your sworn duty is to protect the interests of every taxpayer of the county you represent.

Corporations Deny People Rights.

"You are here to consider a matter of infinite interest to your people as a whole. The subject involves an inherent and constitutional right which has long been denied them because of corporate avarice and greed and the weakness, if not dishonesty, of some in whom the people in the past have placed their trust.

"That the great common people should bear only their fair and just proportion of the burden of taxation is one of the greater blessings to our kind for which my brother, William, labored and prayed and because of which he was finally assassinated.

"Is it surprising then that I am here filled with a profoundly earnest desire that the people of my State, of the State of my martyred brother, shall come into the enjoyment of a right to which in all law and in common honesty they are entitled?

Unjust Taxation Upon People.

"Too long, altogether too long, has there been unjust discrimination against the people, unjust and burdensome taxation upon the people as compared with what has been required to be paid by the big corporations of our

State. Corporation lawyers have boldly said 'The death of William Goebel was a benefit to the corporations.' If this were true, the question is, how much longer shall the people be held in bondage because of his death?

"God knows the corporations now suing the State have been able to procure (and the word procure is used advisedly) immunity long enough from paying their just share of the taxes.

People Are Awakening.

"A hundred million dollar increase in the value of corporation property for taxation opens a new era in the State's affairs and has awakened the people and brought them to a realization of what has been done to them through all the years of the past. As certainly as truth, though crushed to earth, will rise, just so certainly will there be a further awakening which will correct abuses equally as great as unequal taxation, and its effect will be that henceforth every man who would hold office by preference of the people must be a progressive, and no imitation, no more pretender will satisfy them; they will sweep aside and into oblivion as old chaff any man who hesitates or dares to stand in the way of improvement and betterment of conditions for the whole people.

"No one doubts, had William Goebel been permitted to live, that that which was recently done by the Board of Valuation and Assessment would have been done more than a decade ago, and today, instead of the large public service corporations fighting in the courts and by sinister methods endeavoring to perpetuate unjust and unequal taxation; attempting to throttle the action of the present State taxing board, the first to act fully in the interest of the people, such corporations would long ago have been paying into the State, county and city treasuries their just proportion of the taxes.

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paying their just share of the taxes.

Fight Must Be to a Finish.

"I want to tell you gentlemen, that that assessment is fair and just, and if we get justice in the courts we will win. But, no less a man than the Hon. William J. Bryan, the great champion of the people, has stated that courts do not always do justice to the people; and that other great champion of the people, Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, said the same thing, and recently charged that some of the judges he put on the bench proved dishonest. Gentlemen, I want you to go into this fight, with an ardent heart and with loyal lawyers, and fight to a finish and to death, if necessary. Now, I want to say to you I am no corporation hater. I am a business man. I know we have to have corporations, and big ones, but we don't have to have them to the disadvantage of the people. I want them to have dividends. But I do not want them to reap them at the expense of the people and the other taxpayers. Let them pay what the other taxpayers pay. Equality is all I want."

"Without exception all these companies and the two others now suing wanted the same assessment for 1912 that they had in 1911. The Board of Valuation and Assessment based their 1912 assessments on convincing proof of values placed before them, and the assessments are uniformly just and fair, and of the more than four hundred corporations assessed by the board this year, only eight have protested in the court, and these are among those that have always proportionately paid the least.

State Robbed of Millions.

"In the last twelve years, since the death of William Goebel, the State, counties and cities have been robbed (and the word robbed is the only word that fits the case) of more than ten million dollars in taxes.

"I am going to prove it.

"In the years from 1902 to 1911, inclusive, a period of ten years, there has been an average increase in the franchise assessments of the four largest railroads in the State of only 1/4 per cent yearly.

"Think of it! and this almost unbelievable record of astonishingly small increases was made in the ten best years for earnings that the railroads of this country ever saw.

Inadequate Taxation of Railroads.

"The picture here presented of the previous inadequate franchise assessments is astounding, but when one examines into the situation regarding the tangible assessments made by railroad commissions of the properties of four of the corporations now suing the State, the word 'astounding' is inadequate and bere must be supplanted by the word 'dumbfounding' to state more correctly what the tangible assessment picture actually presents.

"Take the case of the C. & O. R. R. and the records show that the tangible property of this company in 1892, 20 years ago, was assessed at \$8,019,577. Notwithstanding the much added mileage of road, double tracking of a vast system, acquiring much new real estate, probably more than doubling the equipment of engines and cars, and meantime increasing by earnings the value of its stock 650 per cent, this company's tangible property was assessed in 1911 at only \$6,270,270, or 21/2 per cent less than in 1892, 20 years ago. Further comment to show that our State has been robbed is unnecessary.

"The other railroads have been similarly inadequately assessed on their tangible property for many years.

Corporations Prevent Honest Valuations.

"In fact, until this year the Board of Valuation and Assessment has been controlled in the interest of the wealthy corporations by some hook or crook, either friendship, political favor rendered or to be rendered, bribery or intimidation, but never before has the State, counties or cities been given what they were rightfully entitled to.

"Another of the many examples of flagrant abuse of public trust.

"I wish I could leave out of my remarks what I am about to say, but that is impossible under present circumstances. Until now, I have said very little about the L. & N. Railroad. Some may say that I have an old animosity to the L. & N. Railroad Company, because of the assassination of my brother. I say, gentlemen, that is a mistake. In my state of health end at my eye, I have nothing but love for my fellow man, whether they agree with me or not. Next to the last words that my dear brother spoke were these: 'They do not understand. I forgive them.' There may be some who now do not understand me. Gentleman, the men elected to office did not do their duty. I hate to say so, but I am here to speak the truth, and all I have fought for in the past seven months is justice and fairness for the people.

"Necessity for action in the interest of the people has grown as years have passed, until it has developed into what is today a crying shame from which relief must come.

"It is very evident that in Kentucky, as in other States, big corporations will never pay a cent more of taxes than they are made to pay.

"Gentlemen, I am going to prove it in a few minutes. Take the case of the C. & O. Railroad. Where is Mr. Wall? I would like for him to hear me.

Low Valuation of C. & O. Railway.

"Take the case of the C. & O. Railroad. In 1911 that road on its entire

system in Kentucky paid taxes on a

total valuation of only \$9,318,270,

whereas, the street railway company of the city of Louisville was made to pay on a valuation of \$10,800,000.

Think of it, gentlemen!

"The C. & O. R. R. in 1901 paid taxes on a franchise valuation of only \$2,171,159, and in 1911 on a valuation of only \$2,742,350; whereas, the board found that their 1912 assessment should be \$18,798,580. The C. N. O. & T. P. R. R. in 1901 paid taxes on a

franchise valuation of only \$2,110,197,

and in 1911 on a valuation of only \$2,559,520, whereas, the board found that their 1912 assessment should be \$4,370,020.

"I said a while ago that the corpora-

tions will never pay a cent more than they are made to pay, and you will see that proven.

"In 1903 with the validity of the

1902 increase pending in the United

States Court, the Board for some in-

conceivable reason fixed the franchise

assessment of this company at \$2,588,

994 less than the 1902 assessment. In

1904, with the validity of the 1902 in-

creased assessment still pending in

the court, the Board fixed the fran-

chise assessment of this company at

\$2,140,259 less than the 1902 assess-

ment. In March, 1906, the suit of the

L. & N. Company against Auditor

Coulter was decided in favor of the

State, the court holding the 1902 fran-

chise assessment of \$10,774,899 to be

valid; but, notwithstanding the fact

of this court proof of value of the

franchise of the L. & N. Railroad, in

1902, the assessment against this com-

pany did, at no time, reach the equal

of the 1902 assessment of \$10,774,899

until 1911, and then, in spite of the fact

that Milton H. Smith, president of the

L. & N. R. R., testified in the United

States Court at Frankfort, in 1906 that

the tangible property value alone of the

L. & N. Railroad in Kentucky in 1906

was \$70,000,000.

"Gentlemen, I am quoting from pub-

lic records.

"This is more proof of how our State

has been robbed. Accurate information

enables me to say for Hon. C. C. Mc-

Cord and Auditor Henry M. Bosworth,

two gentlemen who served on State

Taxing Boards in years past, that they

were at the mercy of a majority ad-

verse to their views and inclined

against the interests of the people.

What Increased Valuation Means.

"What does the hundred million dollar increase made by the present Board of Valuation and Assessment on corporation franchises mean to the people of different sections of the State and to the whole State?

"The one hundred million dollar in-

crease means half as much as the

amount of the total value of all the

property equalized for taxation in the

county of Jefferson, which includes

the city of Louisville.

"Comparing the increase with the counties that contain the three largest second class cities of the State the in-

crease equals the amount of the total

value of all property equalized for tax-

ation in the counties of Campbell, Fay-

ette, Kenton and Franklin, which in-

clude the cities of Newport, Lexington,

Covington and Frankfort.

"Comparing the increase of one hundred million dollars with the Western section of the State, it equals the amount of the total value of all property equalized for taxation in all the counties embraced in the old Ninth and Tenth Congressional Districts, with the exception of Henderson and Davies.

"Comparing the increase of one hundred million dollars with the Central portion of the State, it equals the amount of the total value of all property equalized for taxation in all the counties in the Second District, with the exception of Henderson and Davies.

"Comparing the one hundred million dollar increase with the Eastern section of the State it equals the amount of the total value of all property equalized for taxation in all the counties embraced in the old Ninth and Tenth Congressional Districts, with the exception of the county of Fleming, or, in all twenty-six counties.

Crime in Kentucky's Affairs.

"This is a crisis in the affairs of Kentucky. It is a fight brought by eight tax-dodging corporations directly against the more than 2,000,000 souls who live in the 98 counties of this State, traversed by their lines.

"This is a fight of wrong against right; inequality against equality; unfairness against fairness, and injustice against justice.

"Those last words of my brother—

'Be brave and fearless and loyal to the

great common people' have never

ceased burning in my brain, and in

my heart, and when in August last I

was besieged to agree to a reduction

of many millions on the new 1912 as-

sessments, I gave the exact feeling

that possessed me then and it is the

same today—I would rather lose my

PREScription

For a Long Life.

This is the prescription for a long life given by an old gentleman in Connecticut, who is ninety-nine years old and still well and cheerful. "Live temperately, be slow to anger, don't worry, take plenty of exercise in the fresh air, and, above all, keep cheerful."

Should the system get run down—digestive organs weak—the blood thin and sluggish, take Vinol, which is a delicious combination of the medicine—body-building properties of cod-livers, with the useless grease eliminated and tonic iron added. We regard Vinol as one of the greatest body-builders and strength-creators in the world for aged people.

Mrs. Mary Ivey, of Columbus, Ga., says: "If people only knew the good Vinol does old people, you would be unable to supply the demand; it is the finest tonic and strength-creator I ever used."

We wish every feeble old person in this vicinity would try Vinol on our agreement to return their money if it fails to give satisfaction.

For Sale by W. S. LLOYD.

HE AND YOU.

Friend, I'll tell you what we'll do—
You love me and I'll love you—
Heart to heart and hand in hand
We will wander down the land,
Storms that threaten, suns that shine—
All things shared—just yours and mine—
All the stars and all the flowers
Only last when they are ours
Nothing comes to one alone,
Sharing makes the world our own.
So I love you and you love me,
Then life will be what it should be.

—Exchange.

There's lots of talk about folks saving the country, but if the country don't save the folks, the Lord knows what will come to them!

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been unable to cure. It is called Catarrh. Itali's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Itali's Catarrh Cure is quickly and easily, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing her work. This wonderful cure has so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for my of testimonial.

Address D. J. CINCINNATI & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Take half a Family Pill for constipation.

The Brutal "Third Degree."

Is the "third degree" justifiable? The question becomes pertinent when one sees in the press that Beatrice Kramer, wife of Charles N. Kramer, under pressure of the police department in Chicago, confessed that her husband had killed Sophia Singer. One's first sensation on reading the story is of relief and thankfulness over the fact that the guilty has been discovered. But a second thought comes. Guilty as Kramer may be, of what value generally is a confession wrung by force? How many people will confess to acts they have never committed in order to escape cruel treatment, to be through, once for all, with day after day spent in misery? Many, we think. And in this case, the poor shrinking woman, after days of mental and perhaps physical anguish, betrayed her husband. Glorious victory for the police. We call ourselves a civilized nation and thank God daily that we are not as the people of the Middle Ages and earlier were. But are we so much improved in respect of the third degree? Take up any history of England, France or any other nation and we shall find the "third degree" was used by the "police" of bygone periods in order to extort confessions. The rack, the thumb screw, the boot and other devices were used to make the suspected one confess. Time after time the anguish of the tortured victim was so great that he cried aloud, "I am the guilty man" in order to get some brief respite from terrible suffering. Of what value was such a confession? Of what value today is a confession wrung from a prisoner by a refined system of mental treatment, as exquisitely cruel as the rack or the boot ever were? The third degree should go. It brutalizes the officer who uses it and is a thoroughly unreliable means of getting at the truth.—Ex.

TRUTHFUL REPORTS.

Mt. Sterling Reads Them With Uncommon Interest.

A Mt. Sterling citizen tells his experience in the following statement. No better evidence than this can be had. The truthful reports of friends and neighbors is the best proof in the world. Read and be convinced.

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Montgomery County

Court Records.

Considerable business was transacted in the Montgomery County Court during the past week and the clerk's office was kept rather busy. The division of the estate of James M. Bigstaff was lodged to record and deeds made by Master Commissioner John A. Judy to the various parties. The lands were divided and set apart to Mrs. Mary E. Bigstaff, the widow and to the children, Thomas J. Bigstaff, Samuel Bigstaff, Mrs. Hanly C. Ragan and Mrs. Fenton Hill. The handsome Bigstaff home on Maysville street, in this city, was set aside to the widow.

The will of Mrs. Sarah Anderson was probated and William T. Tyler qualified as administrator and gave bond in the sum of \$17,000. The will divides the estate equally among the heirs, children and grandchildren, after making some charges to two of the children for advancements made. R. R. Whitsitt, C. B. Hainline and Raymond Knox were appointed as appraisers.

Judgment was given against Rex Hall, administrator of Henry C. Hall for taxes due the State and county, on \$10,000 for the years 1906-1910.

Marriage licenses were issued to Roger Drake and Lillian Wood; Walter O. Hopper and Garnette Robinson; Charles Brauble and Bessie Tyler, of Clark county and W. A. Davis, of Ludlow, and Bess Reid, of Covington.

The following deeds were lodged to record. Thomas J. Bigstaff and Alexine Bigstaff to James and Alexine Bigstaff, 160 acres land on the Winchester pike, consideration \$20,000 cash.

Martin S. Brown and Nellie Brown to Grover C. Anderson, lot on High street for a consideration of \$1, etc.

Same to Robert Bishop, lot on Samuel's avenue, for a consideration of \$600.

Same to W. C. Hamilton, lot on High street for a consideration of \$1, etc.

Mrs. Thursday Howard to W. S. Smathers, frame cottage on Elu street for a consideration of \$1,300.

J. M. and Emily Adams to Cordie Pratt, one acre of ground at Jeffersonville, for a consideration of \$100.

James A. Vansant and Mary

Vansant to Hugh Pasley, tract of land on Hog Creek for a consideration of \$175.

Mrs. Ella Young to Robert Wilson, fifty-two acres of land on State Creek for a consideration of \$1,390.45.

S. P. Collins and Newton Collins to Dan Bellamy, fifty acres of land on Cook's Branch for a consideration of \$600.

Ellis Martin, of Illinois, to Riley Martin, of this county, interest in land on Spruce Creek for a consideration of \$30.

Alonzo Willoughby and Ellen Willoughby to Riley Martin, fifty acres of land on Spruce Creek for a consideration of \$183.25.

B. Frank Chenault and Minnie Chenault, of Versailles, to Mary S. Griggs, house and lot on Holt avenue for a consideration of \$2,000, etc.

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STOOPS.

(By B. M. Goodan.)

Farmers are being badly delayed with tobacco stripping.

Indications are that late sown wheat will be a complete failure.

Only a very few turkeys have been saved for the Christmas market.

Mrs. Harrison Conn is slowly recovering from her illness.

Miss Edna Hamilton is the guest of relatives near Owingsville.

Rev. W. A. Hopkins will occupy the pulpit at Springfield Sunday morning.

Mrs. Albert Hudson continues to improve and her recovery is now assured.

Young and Conn sold their crop of tobacco to A. R. Roberson at 11½c.

Frank Byrd and wife have returned to their home at Cincinnati.

E. A. Groves, of Nicholas county, visited the family of Ollie Groves Saturday and Sunday.

The pupils of Stoops school were very successful in winning premiums at the school fair, held at the County High School building in Mt. Sterling Saturday. Elizabeth Wills received first premium, a prize of \$2 cash, for making best button holes, Lorraine Piersall, second premium for neat patching, and Mayne Fassett second premium on assortment of candy.

HOWARD'S MILL
(Mrs. W. W. Stevenson.)

Several here are taking advantage of the good weather and killing hogs.

Mr. Levi Cash lost two fine meat hogs the past week. Several more in the country have been sick.

Lawrence Mnlory has rented the Howell place and will move this week.

Wm. Triplett, of this place, closed a meeting at Stul school house Sunday.

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Wilson, 219,584; Taft, 115,512; Roosevelt, 102,766; Debs, 11,647; Chaffin, 3,323.

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Fine Farm Sold.

Thomas J. Bigstaff, of this city, has sold his fine farm on the Winchester pike to his children, James and Alexine Bigstaff. The farm contains 160 acres and brought \$20,000.

Some people talk over the telephone as if they feared the one at the receiving end might hear something they say.

E. L. Brockway has moved from Queen street to the Bryan property on Harrison avenue.

First Snow Fall.

The first snow of the season fell Sunday and for several hours the ground was fairly covered with white flakes. The weather has been extremely cold for the past few days and the weather forecast is for continued cold weather.

Hunting coats.

Punch, Graves & Co.

Brick Streets Completed.

The Central Construction Co., of Lexington, has completed the paving of Bank and Locust streets as per contract and same has been accepted by the city. The work was done under the supervision of Engineer Bosley and has been pronounced a splendid job.

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A young man named Vane Crawford, living on the Grassy Lick pike, took carbolic acid Sunday evening, said to have been with suicidal intent. The prompt arrival of Drs. McKenna and Bush saved his life. It is said that domestic troubles were the cause.

No Loose Leaf Tobacco

Sales This Week.
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